

PAID \$1,000 A YEAR TO EAST SIDE GANG OF HORSE POISONERS

Max Swersky, Who Is Himself Accused, Takes Stand in Own Behalf.

Max Swersky, who, with David Kalisher, his partner in the Columbia O. K. Ice Cream Company, has been on trial for more than a week before Justice Davis in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court, charged with having engineered the poisoning of the horses of the Royal Ice Cream Company of Brooklyn, through "Nigger" Friedman and Thomas O'Brien—both now serving terms of thirty-one years in Auburn prison—took the stand today in his own behalf.

Swersky was questioned by his counsel, Abraham Levy. He entered the ice cream business fifteen years ago and is now one of the large stockholders of the Columbia O. K. Company. His first experience with the gang of poisoners who had been collecting money from east side horse owners through threats was in 1909, when three of his horses died within two days. He told the Court that after the third horse had died he was visited by a man named Farman, who promised to fix the matter up and stop the poisonings for \$500. A compromise of \$200 was finally reached and he was told to put that amount into his pocket and give it to a man who would ask for it the next day. He paid it over to "John L.", described as leader of an east side gang, and had no more trouble until 1910. In that year the ice cream manufacturers formed an association and by agreement paid \$1,000 to "John L.", which was to protect all members from the poisoners. He said that in 1911 the ante was raised to \$1,250 because the association had acquired a new member.

NO 'RITUAL MURDER' APPEAL.
Time Limit Expires for Any New Move by Prosecution.

KIEV, Russia, Dec. 10.—The time limit expired today for an appeal against the verdict of acquittal in the

recent sensational trial of Mendel Beilis on the charge of murdering Andrew Yushinsky for purposes of "blood ritual." The law allows a period of fifteen days in which to appeal after the pronouncement of the verdict, and as the public prosecutor did not take advantage of this the judgment became absolute automatically.

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Herald Square Broadway, 34th to 35th St.

Real PARADISE Plumes For Christmas GIFTS

The new tariff law makes it impossible to import these beautiful birds, and the value of the paradise stock now available is constantly increasing.

Nevertheless, Macy's is now selling Paradise Feathers at former "Lowest-in-the-City" prices.

Considering that this is the last season in which it will be possible to buy Paradise Plumage at all, these suggest themselves as most desirable Christmas Gifts.

Paradise "Sweeps" of Medium Size, \$8.89
Black or natural; in graceful branched effects.

Large Paradise Bird Effects, \$37.75 to \$54.75
Black or natural; a gorgeously effective trimming for a Dress Hat. In several large sizes.

Paradise Plume "Fountain" Effects, \$10.89 to \$19.89
Black, white or natural; a large, high trimming of very effective style.

STERLING Silver VANITY CASES, Special, \$10.49

This Model Usually \$14.89 at Macy's. The very beautiful Vanity Case illustrated cannot be matched elsewhere for less than \$17.50.

Finely made of Sterling Silver, hand-engraved in delicate floral and effective striped designs, with oval shield for monogram; the back is of plain polished silver, to permit of a large monogram.

The inner compartments are cleverly arranged for coins of two sizes, mirror, powder case with puff, memo slate with pencil; the lining is in frosted gold effect.

Long silver wrist chains finish these pretty novelties—which are especially appropriate for holiday gifts.

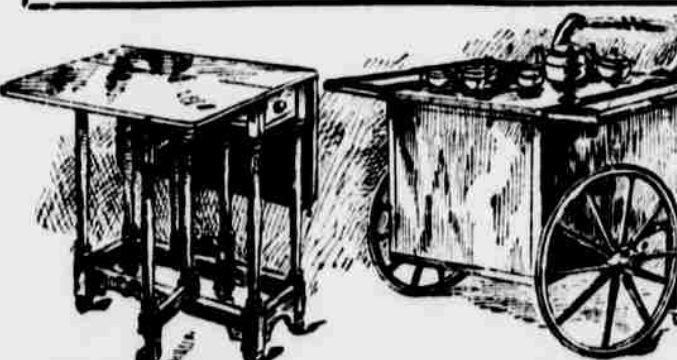
Finer Sterling Silver Vanity Cases ranging up to \$45.75. Vanity Cases of Gold ranging up to \$199.00. Main Floor—Broadway.

DAINTY Little Lingerie DRESSES, \$4.96

The pretty frock, (illustrated) is made of fine batiste, with Valenciennes lace insertion and edges and Swiss embroidery effectively combined.

The deeply scalloped flounce skirt is very new, and the long-waisted effect is emphasized by the satin ribbon bows. In sizes 4 to 8 years.

Finer and More Elaborate Dresses, ranging up to \$19.74, with many very charming models at \$5.94, \$7.94, \$10.74 and \$12.74; the majority in fine lawn and batiste, some in net; all very effectively trimmed with Valenciennes, Venice or Irish crochet laces, and embroideries. Third Floor, 35th St.



130 Fine Pieces of GIFT FURNITURE Reductions of 1/4 to 1/2

Charming Gifts, suitable for the home of culture, and for the bachelor man's or bachelor maid's apartment, for the college man's or girl's rooms. Mostly but one of a kind. The Gift Section of the Furniture Store on the Sixth Floor is exceedingly "giftie" in suggestions.

Nested Tables, \$25.25
Macy's Price Was \$33.75
Of beautifully inlaid Sheraton mahogany. Top of layout Table is 28 in. x 28 in. Others as follows:

Gato-leg Tables, \$18.34
Macy's Price Was \$24.24
Illustrated. Of mahogany. Height 29 in. Closed, 10 in. x 27 in. Open, 38 inches.

Tea Wagons, \$52.75
Macy's Price Was \$70.50
Illustrated. Of mahogany. Inlaid with fine stripes. Wood-spoke wheels and rubber tires. Complete with Tea Set as shown. Top opens automatically.

Dinner Gongs, were \$10.89; now \$8.24
Dinner Gongs, were \$11.67; now \$8.74
Lacquered Book Blocks, were \$9.67; now \$7.34
Lacquered Racks, were \$13.67; now \$10.24
Lacquered Lamps, were \$19.75; now \$17.50
Mahogany Racks, were \$10.49; now \$7.89
Mahogany Poker Sets, were \$22.74; now \$16.74

Sewing Tables, \$40.50
Macy's Price Was \$52.75
Illustrated. Height 28 in., length 39 in., and width 14 in. Beautifully inlaid. Fitted with centre drawer and mirror in top lid. Of mahogany. Others as follows:

Tilting-top Tables, \$11.24
Macy's Price Was \$14.89
Of mahogany. Top 45 in. x 45 in. Beautifully carved pedestal. Others as follows:

Mahogany Card Tables, were \$22.49; now \$16.74
Mahogany Card Tables, were \$36.25; now \$27.25
Prima Vera Stands, were \$16.24; now \$12.24
Prima Vera Chairs, were \$20.67; now \$15.49
Prima Vera Desks, were \$37.50; now \$28.25
Mahogany Cellarette Wagons, were \$24.24; now \$17.75
Mahogany Drop-lid Table, were \$24.89; now \$18.67

Special Section, 5th Floor.

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SYRIAN SCARFS LOVELY FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS \$2.49

Gleaming silver faillottes embossed on fine white net in most effective Oriental designs. Each Scarf, 2 1/2 to 2 3/4 yards in length, is of different pattern.

These beautiful Scarfs are the handwork of the young Syrian girls, who follow their own fancy in originating the designs.

More elaborate Syrian Scarves ranging up to \$24.74 each.

India Chuddah Shawls \$4.96

Softest and fleeciest of Shawls—made on hand-looms of the finest wool—and so fine in texture that they may be drawn through a finger ring. In white, gray and black. A most acceptable gift for an elderly woman.

Finer qualities ranging up to \$8.74.

"Orenburg" Shawls from Russia \$3.96

Hand-knit by peasant women, and very light, warm and soft; these Orenburg Shawls are in white, brown and in white with fancy borders.

Finer qualities up to \$8.74.

Chinese Silk Embroidered Shawls \$2.96

White, pink and blue Shawls, rich with Oriental hand-embroidery and with silk fringe. Finer qualities up to \$11.74.

Shetland Shawls—in white, gray and black. 85c to \$1.59.
Thread Lace Shawls—in white, blue and black. 25c to \$1.49.
Third Floor, Broadway.

FUR-LINED & FUR GLOVES FOR MEN

As holiday gifts these luxuriously warm and comfortable Gloves will meet with much appreciation. Specially priced and very remarkable values.

Suede Gloves, Rabbit Lined, \$1.94

In gray and tan soft and serviceable suede leather; well lined with long fur rabbit. Gasket at wrist with elastic.

Mocha Buck Gloves, Coney Lined, \$4.24

Imported from England, these Gloves made especially for R. H. Macy & Co., are of the finest mocha buck leather in tan or gray. Lined with fine coney fur; prize seam sewn, heavily embroidered backs; one clasp.

Mocha Buck Gloves, Fur Lined, \$4.74

Half-squirrel and half-rabbit lined. Gloves in tan or gray mocha buck leather; one clasp at wrist.

Mocha Buck Gloves, Squirrel Lined, \$5.74

Finely lined with squirrel fur in natural color, these Gloves of tan or gray mocha buck leather; all prize seam sewn and have gusseted fingers; one clasp.

"Baltic Seal" (dead) Gloves, \$2.24

Fleece-lined Gloves of this dark, rich fur, with palm of glacial kid.

"Baltic Seal" (dead) Gauntlets, \$3.24

Well-made, Gauntlets, fleece lined and with glacial leather palms; deep cuffs, lined with corduroy.

Imitation "Nutria" Gauntlets, \$4.44

Fleece-lined and of very warm. Well made, with glacial leather palms; cuffs lined with corduroy.

Water Mink Gauntlets, \$5.74

Excellent quality and very serviceable; heavy fleece lining, leather palms; cuffs lined with corduroy.

Water Mink Gauntlets, \$6.44

Lamb's wool-lined and with heavy buckskin palms; cuffs lined with corduroy.

Mocha and Cape Wool-Lined Gloves— Special \$1.89

The Mocha Gloves in gray or tan. The Cape Gloves of imported leather. Prize seam sewn. Fingertips cut flannel, seamless, wool lining. One clasp.

SANTA CLAUS is a very busy person, receiving daily thou- sands of his little friends at his home in TOYLAND.

The accompanying picture is from life, sketched by a Macy artist a few days ago. Santa Claus was caught in the act of promising a wee mite of two years that she could have the Doll she had seen near his house if she was a good girl. The sturdy little chap with hands folded behind his back was in the act of acknowledging the error of his doubt that there was a "real live Santa Claus," for here he actually saw him in flesh and blood.

Bring the children to greet Santa Claus to-morrow. It's huge fun for them, and



you'll get a lot of pleasure out of it yourself. NOW is the time to buy the Toys the children are to have for Christmas. Don't postpone it another day. Best assortments now. Lowest prices. Delivery at once or later, as you prefer. Greater satisfaction making selections now than later in the inevitable crush.

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See the big lion in a cage that roars and thrashes his tail about; the swimming and floating toys; the monkey cage, the singing canary, and hosts of other fascinating things.

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Just a few of the many things a man wears just now that are well suited for gift-giving. Hundreds more in the Department.

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Of pure silk, in black, white, gray and jasper. Better ones up to \$8.94.

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Men's Pajamas of Silk Mixtures, \$2.69

Better ones at \$1.96.

Men's Soisette Pajamas, \$1.44

Trimmed with silk fringes.

Men's Fine Domest Pajamas 94c

Better qualities at \$1.44.

Men's \$1.00 Domest Night Shirts, 68c

Men's Fine Blanket Robes, \$4.96

Choice of robe or lounge style. Colors are maroon, Oxford, gray, navy and myrtle. Soft, downy, comfortable and in every way an ideal gift.

Others in stock at \$2.48 and up to \$62.50.

MEN'S \$2.00 WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS

A GARMENT \$1.19

Natural or camel-hair colors. Full-fashioned medium weight shirts with silk front and self facing. Drawers with heavy seamen waist band and reinforced gusset.

Men's Natural Worsted Union Suits, at \$1.98

Medium and heavy weights; choice of sleeveless style in knee length or long sleeves and ankle drawers. Closed crotch.

Men's Silk and Wool Union Suits \$3.69

Medium weight and natural color. Long sleeves and ankle length drawers, with closed crotch.

Men's Heavy Weight Union Suits \$1.98

Were \$2.98. Broken sizes. Of spring needle ribbed mercerized cotton. Colors are ecru and pearl.

Men's \$1.00 Heavy Union Suits 49c

Mostly large sizes. Of spring needle ribbed cotton.

Men's Heavy Shirts and Drawers (ea.) \$1.49

Spring needle ribbed worsted. Natural color. Shirts long sleeved, drawers ankle length.

Men's \$7.50 SMOKING JACKETS, Special at \$5.75

The owner need not be a smoker, for they make most comfortable House Coats and always look smart.

The materials are exceptionally fine and strictly all-wool double-faced cloths, with the reverse in cleverly contrasted colors and effects.

The colors are warm, comfortable shades of Oxford, tan, olive green, cardinal, Cambridge blue, etc.

All are in the smart shawl collar model now so much in favor. The Coats are neatly trimmed at edges, pockets, and cuffs with silk cord edging and binding.

There is ample stock of all sizes from 34 to 46 in. chest measure.

Fifth Fl., 34th St., & Main Fl., 35th St.

Men's \$18 CHINCHILLA OVERCOATS, Special, \$14.75

A very specially attractive collection of the smartest Coats we have seen this season, including a number in the popular Chesterfield model for men who wish a rather more formal style.

The Coats are in 46 in. length, and have "self" collars. The sleeve linings are of satin. The Coats are yoke lined. We illustrate a shawl collar model.

Some have patch, some bellows pockets. The "Guards" model, either single- or double-breasted, has the belted-in back. All are carefully hand-tailored.

Men's \$50 FUR-LINED OVERCOATS, Special, \$26.75

The fur lining of natural muskrat skins, the shell of strictly all-wool jersey of fine quality, and the collar of "Persian" lamb.

The Muskrat Skins are not only genuine but always the case with inexpensive Coats but they are new. Old skins are sometimes used elsewhere, and they crack and tear almost immediately.

The pockets are velvet-lined. The Coats are double-breasted, and button to the neck when desired. They fasten with buttons and loops.

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